

THE CLAIMS

1. (Previously Presented) A cover for a hinge side of a door, the cover comprising: a first and a second strip of a rigid material connected by a first joint such that the cover is flexible about its major axis, the first strip having a T-section member linked by a second joint to its long edge, the T-section member for being supported in a C-shaped channel section such that the T-section member may move longitudinally with respect to the C-shaped channel, and the second strip having a support member linked by a third joint adjacent to its long edge so that the edge of the cover may be secured to the door or a door frame, and wherein the second strip includes a fastening member disposed between the first joint and the third joint, wherein the fastening member extends from a surface of a second strip thereby defining a structure configured to receive and hold a third strip of material therein.

2. (Previously Presented) The cover of Claim 1, in which the fastening member comprises one or more clip fittings.

3. (Previously Presented) The cover of Claim 1, in which the fastening member further includes a strip of adhesive material disposed therein.

4. (Previously Presented) The cover of Claim 1, in which the cover is formed of four rigid portions connected by three hinges.

5. (Previously Presented) The cover of Claim 1, in which the cover is formed of a fibrous of fluted board material.

6. (Cancelled)

7. (Previously Presented) The cover of Claim 1, in which the cover is shaped from a plastic material with the first, second, and third joints being formed integrally.

8-10. (Cancelled)

11. (Previously Presented) The cover of claim 1, wherein the fastening member is

configured to receive a T-section member of the third strip.

12. (Previously Presented) The cover of claim 1, wherein the fastening member contacts the door and provides support for the second strip such that the cover remains in a convex shape during use.

13. (Previously Presented) A cover assembly for a hinge side of a door comprising:
a first cover and a second cover, the first cover and second cover each including,
a first and a second strip of a rigid material connected by a first joint, the first strip having a T-section member linked by a second joint to its long edge, the second strip having a support member linked by a third joint to its long edge and a socket member,

wherein the first strip of the second cover engages with the socket member of the first cover to form a single cover assembly and the T-section member of the first cover is configured to engage a C-shaped channel section attached to a door frame and the support member of the second cover is configured to attach to a door.

14. (Previously Presented) The cover assembly of claim 13, wherein the socket member of the second cover is configured to abut the door and to support the second cover such that the cover assembly forms a convex shape.

15. (Previously Presented) The cover assembly of claim 13, wherein at least one angle support is attached to a back side of the assembly.

16. (Previously Presented) The cover assembly of claim 15, wherein the at least one angle support includes a plurality of hinges.

17. (Previously Presented) A cover comprising:
a first and a second strip of a rigid material connected by a first joint;
the first strip having a T-section member linked by a second joint to its long edge, the T-section member configured to attach to a C-shaped channel section attached to one of a door

frame and a door;

the second strip having a support member linked by a third joint to its long edge and a fastening member, the support member configured to attach to one of a door frame and a door; and

the fastening member configured to receive and engage a third rigid strip of material in parallel with the first strip along a length thereof.

18. (Previously Presented) The cover of claim 17, wherein the fastening member includes a projection extending along a surface of the second strip forming a cavity between the projection and the surface second strip.

19. (Previously Presented) The cover of claim 18, wherein the projection and cavity of the fastening member engage the third rigid strip of material to form a long cover.

20. (Previously Presented) The cover of claim 13, including at least one angle support attached to a back side of one of the first strip and second strip.